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Delivered at your house or
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Republican Ticket.

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WILLIAM MCKINLEY.

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GARRET A. HOBART.

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DAVID M. CLOUGH.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. GIBBS.

For Treasurer,
A. T. KOERNER.

For Secretary,
ALBERT BERG.

For Attorney General,
H. W. CHILDS.

For Congress, Sixth District,
PAGE MORRIS.

For Representatives, 46th Legislative
District.

A. F. FERRIS,
J. D. JONES,
B. F. HARTSHORN,
H. C. HEAD.

BRYAN'S New York speech was a
mighty poor second rate free silver
argument. It was a flat failure.

The National Democratic party is
what the second money Democrats will
call their new organization, to dis-
tinguish it from the populist portion
that named Bryan for president.

The Populist and Democratic con-
ventions for this legislative district
have both been called to meet in
Little Falls on Thursday, September
10th. A fusion deal is anticipated.

The wage-earner who votes to get
his pay in dollars that will be worth
only as much as the Mexican dollar,
or about 53 cents, deserves the retri-
bution that he will get if free silver is
successful.

Considering its effect on wages, the
free coinage of silver can justly be
called a gigantic scheme to reduce
wages, which years of organization
and many strikes and lock-outs have
brought to the present living basis.

A MONTH ago the counters of the
banks in this city contained big piles
of gold coin, and gold was usually
paid out to customers on checks, un-
less paper money was especially asked
for. Now, owing to the hoarding of
gold by individuals, because of the
possibility of the election of Bryan
and the consequent reduction of our
currency to a silver standard, not a
piece of gold is in sight or is paid out.
When McKinley is elected in Novem-
ber, as he surely will be, gold will
again circulate freely.

The advocates of sound money in
the coming contest, if successful, will
not gain anything but the satisfaction
of knowing that the honor of the
nation has been preserved. It is true,
also, that by success a panic will be
prevented and the purchasing power
of our circulating medium will not be
impaired, but no one will gain any-
thing that they do not now possess.

On the other hand the advocates of
the free coinage of silver, the silver
barons, expect to increase their hold-
ings by cheating their creditors and
compelling the purchase of their sil-
ver at an increased price. Who, then,
is animated by greedy self-interest in
this contest? The one desires to up-
hold the honor of the country, and
the other wants to increase his fortune
by repudiation and robbery. There
is no doubt about who will be suc-
cessful in such a contest.

We are glad that gold has gone
out of circulation, so that the people
can see just what the silver dollars
are worth when they cannot be ex-
changed for gold. We have been told
all along by the gold standard men
that as soon as silver dollars
could not be exchanged for gold they
would fall in value to fifty-three cents.
We said they would not. Who was
right?—Journal.

The above is the veriest nonsense.
We still have a government that is
maintaining the parity of metals, and
will do so as long as Mr. Cleveland
holds office, no matter if he has to
issue bonds again and again as the
law directs. Gold is going from cir-
culation just as fast as people who
have money to spare can get a hold
of it, not because it is more valuable
now, but because it will be if a gov-
ernment is elected that will bring
about conditions that the parity of
our metals cannot be maintained.

The government now has one hun-
dred million in gold which is ex-
changing freely for treasury notes, one
form of silver money, and green-
backs, but by law have got to be re-
issued at par as fast as taken in, hence
the flow of gold from the treasury in-
to circulation is unceasing. Besides
the monthly expenses of the govern-
ment are over forty millions which will
be paid in gold if demanded. If the
gold reserve should be entirely de-
pleted or could not be renewed by
bond issue, then silver will drop to
its commercial value, and not until.
Silver has now the same purchasing
power as the greenback or treasury
notes which are redeemable in gold
hence it has a gold value. When
there is no more gold to redeem the
greenback or treasury note, or it is
not paid out for services if demanded,
then all our currency will shrink to
the commercial value of silver, for
silver will then be the only redemp-
tion money we will have. The large
banks have put up many millions of
gold to the government lately to as-
sist it in maintaining gold redemp-
tion and keep silver at par, and silver
will remain at par until the reserve
is exhausted or cannot be renewed,
which it could not be under free sil-
ver.

How It Would Affect Us.

The question is often asked how
the free and unlimited coinage
of silver would effect the country.
The best way to answer that question
is to refer to the experience of those
countries that are or have been
on a silver basis. Chili, the most pro-
gressive country in South America,
has recently abandoned the silver
for the gold standard, the reason for
which will be seen in the following
statement made by the minister of
finance on the question:

"Agriculturists, the owners of cer-
tain industries, and speculators have
escaped more or less the inclined
plane of the depreciation of our
money, but the majority of Chileans
have reached at this moment an un-
endurable and precarious situation.
Laborers have seen their wages in-
creased, but their habitations, food
and clothing have increased in price
in the same or in greater proportion
to their wages. Artisans and small
tradesmen have seen the cash value
of their products diminish in the
same manner. Today they earn two
pesos with paper money and the sil-
ver standard, where yesterday they
earned one, but the two pesos today
represent twenty-five cents, and the
former peso was worth forty-five. The
same has happened to all tradesmen
and manufacturers who, although
they have sold their produce at prices
apparently high, have, on the other
hand, produced or bought at an ex-
aggerated cost on account of the de-
preciation of money.

"The situation has been more serious
still for those people who have not
been able to indemnify themselves
even in part for the losses which they
have suffered by the depreciation of
paper. All those who at the period
of the emission of paper money had
capital invested for long periods in
mortgages, bank stock and govern-
ment bonds, were the creditors for the
gold peso of 45 pesos and received in-
terest in the same coin. For these
people every penny less in the value
of the paper peso has meant a loss of
2 1/2 per cent of their former capital.
When exchange reached 22 1/2 pesos
they lost 50 per cent and with the ex-
change at 15 per cent they only per-
formed one-third of their former
fortunes.

"ON THE VERGE OF STARVATION."
The salaries of the immense ma-
jority of the government officials of
every class have remained fixed at
the same rate as when they were paid
in the happy times of gold. As the
money in which they are today paid
is worth less than one-third of what
it was then, they have been obliged
to reduce their necessities in equal
proportion, and today, with an ex-
change of 13 pesos it is no exag-
geration to say that they are on the
verge of starvation. Some specula-
tors profit by the situation, but the
day laborer, the artisan, those who
exercise the liberal professions, the
entire class of public and private em-
ployees who live on their incomes or
pensions, the holders of mortgages,
the owners of bank stock, tradesmen,
etc., are today in desperate straits
owing to the depreciation of their
wages, salaries, incomes and pensions,
and the enormous increase in the price
of the necessities of life."

In the debate in the Chilean con-
gress which preceded the adoption of
the resumption act not a single plea
was offered in behalf of the single
silver standard. Senator Errazuriz
made a convincing speech, in which
he stated the argument against the
white metal in the following cogent
terms:

"We are in a country which pro-
duces silver in abundance, while we
only produce gold in very small
quantities. The neighboring countries
likewise produce enormous quantities
of silver, and the industries based up-
on this metal help our own industries.
We owe to silver a great part of our
prosperity, and we expect still more
from it. It may be, therefore, said
that we ought to tone it, give it value,
make it our money. But in spite of
all this, this system does not suit us.
Silver coinage corresponds to another
stage of civilization, to restricted ne-
cessities of trade—a condition which,
happily, is no longer ours. Transac-
tions are impossible in a coin in which
1,000 pesos weigh 25 kilograms. The
adoption of silver currency would con-
duct us inevitably to the admission of
bank notes in the custom-house, gov-
ernment offices and wherever there is
movement of funds of any import-
ance. It would not be desirable to re-
ceive import duties in cartloads. Nor
would it be advisable to contract for
carts to carry the president of the re-
public his monthly salary.

FLUCTUATION IN VALUE.

"Paper money has a great advan-
tage. It is the most economic money
which can be imagined. In spite of
this, we are banishing money because
it does not possess one of the essential
qualities of money—stability. Silver
has varied in value as much as paper
money, and in these last six months
still more. The law of 1851 gave to
our silver peso a value equal to 45
pesos, but the value of the silver peso
which had risen to 51 pesos at the
time of the discovery of gold in Cali-
fornia, fell afterwards to no more than
38 pesos at the time of the enactment
of the paper money law. When, in
the month of June of this year, the
minister of finance explained to this
house the financial proposals of the
government the silver peso was not
worth more than 32 pesos. Today
it is not worth more than 28 pesos.
In two months our silver dollar fell 1
peso. Paper money in these two
months has fluctuated less. There-
fore, between the system of paper
money and silver, I should be decid-

THE WIDOW OF J. J. EASTMAN

Recovers Insurance on a Policy That
Had Been Considered
Worthless.

The Old Aetna Insurance Co. Honors Its
Policy Though No Premiums Had
Been Paid For Nearly
Three Years.

BRAINERD, MINN., July 31, 1896.

Mr. D. R. Elder, Agent of Aetna
Life Insurance Company, Brainerd,
Minn.

Dear Sir: I desire to thank you
Company through you for your prompt
payment of a policy that had been
held by my husband but left un-
paid by him nearly three years ago.

He took in its stead a policy in an
assessment society which he also left
a few weeks before he died. This
left me in a destitute condition with
five children. He died, as you know,
last April, and I did not think your
policy worth anything, but thought
the Minnesota Masonic Relief Asso-
ciation, the last society he was in-
sured in, might at last give me some-
thing, but they did not, so I was left
until the good old Aetna like an
angel, informed me through you that
their policy was still good, and now
when only six days have passed since
I sent in proofs of my loss to them, I
have One Thousand Dollars from them.

May God bless the Old Aetna. I
wonder how many others feel towards
her as I do now, and my husband
thought it was a company only for
rich men. I also want to thank
you for your assistance.

Sincerely,
MRS. GILLISPIE EASTMAN.

Mr. Meyers, the Minnesota manager
of the company, who was in the city
yesterday, stated to a DISPATCH re-
porter that the policy held by Mr.
Eastman was the well known
"Limited Payment Terminal Endow-
ment" policy. It is incontestable
after the first year, non-forfeitable
after the third year, and has "Ex-
tension of Time," "Paid-up Insur-
ance" and "Cash Surrender" values.
Mr. Eastman had never applied
for any of these values, nor had he
ever considered his lapsed policy
self-acting in that it applies one of
the surrender values, even if the holder
neglects to notify the company. Mrs.
Eastman did not know for several
months after Mr. Eastman's death of
its value, and by chance was then ad-
vised by an agent of a competing com-
pany that if held with his company it
might be worth from \$100 to \$120.

The Aetna agent, Mr. Elder, had no
knowledge of the policy's existence,
but when shown it he informed Mrs.
Eastman that it was worth its full
face, \$1,000.00.

For the Biennial Encampment.
of the Knights of Pythias, Uniform
Rank at Cleveland August 23rd to
30th the Nickel Plate road will sell
tickets, available on all trains August
22nd, 23rd and 24th from Chicago to
Cleveland and return at \$8.50 for the
round trip, good returning until Aug-
ust 31st. This is a saving of \$1.50
on the round trip as compared with
other lines and our passenger service
includes fast train, drawing room
sleeping cars and unexcelled dining
service. For further particulars ad-
dress J. V. Calahan, Gen'l Agent, 111
Adams St., Chicago, Ill. 125-33-5

PATRONIZE THE G. A. R. CAMP FIRE.

Editor Journal: Ever since their
war the old veterans have met at their
annual encampment to live for a brief
week their army life over again. It
is to them a happy meeting. No
other meeting on earth is like it.
Who can envy them the happiness of
these reunions? They fought that
we might enjoy an unbroken Union.
They left home and loved ones and
offered everything they had for the
preservation of the Union. We to-
day enjoy what they fought for. We
may not remember the old soldiers as
we should, but we cannot forget their
deeds of valor and sacrifices. These
old soldiers are to meet again at St.
Paul next month to greet each other
as comrades of the Union Army. They
are growing old, and it is the last op-
portunity many of them will have of
attending these encampments. It
will not come to Minnesota again for
many years. Not one of these old
soldiers should be left at home. They
have provided an entertainment to
raise funds to take them to St. Paul.

The camp fire by Pap Thomas Post
and the lecture by Mr. Donnelly should
be well patronized. It will help the
"old boys" and do us good. I have
heard Mr. Donnelly's lecture on "Wit
and Humor," and it is a whole story
of itself. You laugh in spite of your-
self. But the main thing is to help
the boys who wore the blue. Let the
Opera House be packed on Friday
evening, Aug. 28th.

Yours,
W. A. FLEMING.

Special Inducements
are offered to passengers traveling via
the Nickel Plate Road to Cleveland on
occasion of the Biennial Encampment
Knights of Pythias, Uniform Rank,
August 23rd to 30th inclusive. A
smooth roadway, quick time; a train
service that is unsurpassable and that
affords all the comforts available
in travel, besides being \$1.50 lower
than rates offered by other lines.
For this occasion tickets will be on
sale August 22nd, 23rd

Northern Pacific Bank

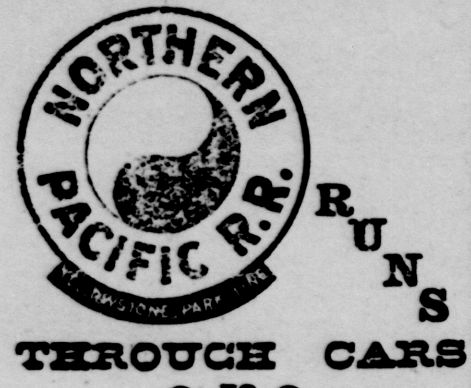
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SPOKANE
TACOMA
SEATTLE
PORTLAND**LOCAL TIME TABLE.**
No. 1 arrives from the South at 2:10 p. m. De-
parts west at 2:35 p. m. daily except Sunday.
No. 2 arrives from the West at 12:30 p. m. De-
parts south at 1:00 p. m. daily except Sunday.
No. 3 arrives from Duluth at 11:30 a. m. De-
parts for the West at 12:30 p. m. daily.
No. 4 arrives from the West at 3:30 a. m. De-
parts going east at 4:00 a. m. daily.
No. 11, Little Falls and Dakota train, arrives at
2:10 p. m.
No. 12, Little Falls and Dakota train, departs
at 2:35 p. m.
No. 13 arrives from the East at 12:35 a. m. De-
parts west at 1:00 a. m.
No. 14 arrives from St. Paul at 4:15 p. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 4:40 p. m.
No. 15 arrives from St. Paul at 8:15 a. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 8:40 a. m.
No. 16 arrives from St. Paul at 12:30 p. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 1:00 p. m.
No. 17 arrives from St. Paul at 2:30 p. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 3:00 p. m.
No. 18 arrives from St. Paul at 4:30 p. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 5:00 p. m.
No. 19 arrives from St. Paul at 6:30 p. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 7:00 p. m.
No. 20 arrives from St. Paul at 8:30 p. m. De-
parts for St. Paul at 9:00 p. m.
No. 21 arrives from St. Paul at 10:30 p. m. De-
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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss.

County of Crow Wing, ss.

In Probate Court, Special Term, July 13, 1896.

In the matter of the estate of Kate Olson, deceased.

On receipt and filing of the petition of Nels

Mugson of Crow Wing county, representing

among other things, that the said Kate Olson,

resident of said county, on the 24th day of July, A. D.

1896, died intestate, and being a widow, and

leaving no issue, and that the said Nels Mugson

is a resident of said county, and that the said

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For Attorney General,

H. W. CHILDS.

For Congress, Sixth District,

PAGE MORRIS.

For Representatives, 46th Legislative

District.

A. F. FERRIS,

J. D. JONES,

B. F. HARTSHORN,

H. C. HEAD.

BRYAN'S New York speech was a

mighty poor second rate free silver

argument. It was a flat failure.

The National Democratic party is

what the second money Democrats will

call their new organization, to dis-
tinguish it from the populist portion
that named Bryan for president.The Populist and Democratic con-
ventions for this legislative district
have both been called to meet in
Little Falls on Thursday, September
10th. A fusion deal is anticipated.The wage-earner who votes to get
his pay in dollars that will be worth
only as much as the Mexican dollar,
or about 53 cents, deserves the re-
duction that he will get if free silver is
successful.Considering its effect on wages, the
free coinage of silver can justly be
called a gigantic scheme to reduce
wages, which years of organization
and many strikes and lock-outs have
brought to the present living basis.A MONTH ago the counters of the
banks in this city contained big piles
of gold coin, and gold was usually
paid out to customers on checks, un-
less paper money was especially asked
for. Now, owing to the hoarding of
gold by individuals, because of the
possibility of the election of Bryan
and the consequent reduction of our
currency to a silver standard, not a
piece of gold is in sight or paid out.
When McKinley is elected in Novem-
ber, as he surely will be, gold will
again circulate freely.The advocates of sound money in
the coming contest, if successful, will
not gain anything but the satisfaction
of knowing that the honor of the
nation has been preserved. It is true,
also, that by success a panic will be
prevented and the purchasing power
of our circulating medium will not be
impaired, but no one will gain any-
thing that they do not now possess.
On the other hand the advocates of
the free coinage of silver, the silver
barons, expect to increase their hold-
ings by cheating their creditors and
compelling the purchase of their silver
at an increased price. Who, then,
is animated by greedy self-interest in
this contest? The one desires to up-
hold the honor of the country, and the
other wants to increase his fortune
by repudiation and robbery. There
is no doubt about who will be suc-
cessful in such a contest.We are glad that gold has gone
out of circulation, so that the people
can see just what the silver dollars
are worth when they cannot be ex-
changed for gold. We have been
told all along by the gold standard
men that as soon as silver dollars
could not be exchanged for gold they
would fall in value to fifty-three cents.
We said they would not? Who was
right?—Journal.The above is the veriest nonsense.
We still have a government that is
maintaining the parity of metals, and
will do so as long as Mr. Cleveland
holds office, no matter if he has to
issue bonds again and again as the
law directs. Gold is going from cir-
culation just as fast as people who
have money to spare can get a hold
of it, not because it is more valuable
now, but because it will be if a gov-
ernment is elected that will bring
about conditions that the parity of
our metals cannot be maintained.
The government now has one hun-
dred million in gold which is ex-
changing freely for treasury notes, one
form of silver money, and green-
backs, that by law have got to be re-
deemed at par as fast as taken in, hence
the flow of gold from the treasury in
circulation is unceasing. Besides the
monthly expenses of the govern-
ment are over forty millions which will
be paid in gold if demanded. If the
gold reserve should be entirely de-
pleted or could not be renewed by
bond issue, then silver will drop to
its commercial value, and not until.
Silver has now the same purchasing
power as the greenback or treasury
note which are redeemable in gold
hence it has a gold value. When there
is no more gold to redeem the
greenback or treasury note, or it is
not paid out for services if demanded,
then all our currency will shrink to
the commercial value of silver, for
silver will then be the only redemp-
tion money we will have. The large
banks have put up many millions of
gold to the government lately to as-
sist it in maintaining gold redemp-
tion and keep silver at par, and silver
will remain at par until the reserve
is exhausted or cannot be renewed,
which it could not be under free sil-
ver.

How It Would Affect Us.

The question is often asked how
the free and unlimited coinage
of silver would affect the country.
The best way to answer that question
is to refer to the experience of those
countries that are or have been
on a silver basis. Chili, the most pro-
gressive country in South America,
has recently abandoned the silver
for the gold standard, the reason for
which will be seen in the following
statement made by the minister of
finance on the question:"Agriculturists, the owners of cer-
tain industries, and speculators have
escaped more or less the inclined
plane of the depreciation of our
money, but the majority of Chileans
have reached at this moment an un-
endurable and precarious situation.
Laborers have seen their wages in-
creased, but their habitations, food
and clothing have increased in price
in the same or in greater proportion
to their wages. Artisans and small
traders have seen the cash value of
their products diminish in the same
manner. Today they earn two pe-
soes with paper money and the silver
standard, where yesterday they
earned one, and the two pesos today
represent twenty-six pence, and the
former peso was worth forty-five. The
same has happened to all tradesmen
and manufacturers who, although
they have sold their products at prices
apparently high, have, on the other
hand, produced or bought at an ex-
aggerated cost on account of the de-
preciation of money."This situation has been more serious
still for those people who have not
been able to indemnify themselves
even in part for the losses which they
have suffered by the depreciation of
paper. All those who at the period
of the emission of paper money had
capital invested for long periods in
mortgages, bank stock and govern-
ment bonds, were the creditors for the
gold peso of 45 pence and received in-
stead in the same coin. For these
people every penny less in the value
of the paper peso has meant a loss of
24 per cent of their former capital.
When exchange reached 23 pence, they
lost 50 per cent and with the ex-
change at 15 pence they only per-
served one-third of their former
fortunes.

ON THE VERGE OF STARVATION.

The salaries of the immense ma-
jority of the government officials of
every class have remained fixed at the
same rate as when they were paid in
the happy times of gold. As the
money in which they are today paid
is worth less than one-third of what it
was then, they have been obliged to
reduce their necessities in equal
proportion, and today, with an ex-
change of 13 pence it is no exag-
geration to say that they are on the
verge of starvation. Some specu-
lators profit by the situation, but the
day laborer, the artisan, those who
exercise the liberal professions, the
entire class of public and private em-
ployees who live on their incomes or
pensions, the holders of mortgages,
etc., are today in desperate straits
owing to the depreciation of their
wages, salaries, incomes and pensions,
and the enormous increase in the price
of the necessities of life."In the debate in the Chilean con-
gress which preceded the adoption of
the resumption act not a single plea
was offered in behalf of the single
silver standard. Senor Errazuriz
made a convincing speech, in which
he stated the argument against the
white metal in the following cogent
terms:"We are in a country which pro-
duces silver in abundance, while we
only produce gold in very small
quantities. The neighboring countries
likewise produce enormous quantities
of silver, and the industries based up-
on the metal help our own industries.
We owe to silver a great part of our
prosperity, and we expect still more
from it. It may be, therefore, said
that we ought to tone it, give it value,
make it our money. But in spite of
all this, this system does not suit us.
Silver coinage corresponds to another
stage of civilization, to restricted ne-
cessities of trade—a condition which,
happily, is no longer ours. Transac-
tions are impossible in a coin in which
1,000 pesos weigh 25 kilograms. The
adoption of silver currency would con-
vert us inevitably to the admission of
bank notes in the custom-house, gov-
ernment offices and wherever there is
movement of funds of any import-
ance. It would not be possible to re-
ceive import duties in cartloads. Nor
would it be advisable to contract for
wants to carry the president of the re-
public his monthly salary."

FLUCTUATION IN VALUE.

"Paper money has a great advan-
tage. It is the most economic money
which can be imagined. In spite of
this we are banishing money because
it does not possess one of the essential
qualities of money—stability. Silver
has varied in value as much as paper
money, and in these last six months
still more. The law of 1851 gave us
our silver peso a value equal to 45
pence, but the value of the silver peso
which had risen to 51 pence at the
time of the discovery of gold in Cali-
fornia, fell afterwards to no more than
38 pence at the time of the enactment
of the paper money law. When, in
the month of June of this year, the
minister of finance explained to this
house the financial proposals of the
government the silver peso was not
worth more than 32 pence. Today
it is not worth more than 28 pence.
In two months our silver dollar fell 4
pence. Paper money in these two
months has fluctuated less. There-
fore, between the system of paper
money and silver, I should be decid-ly in favor of paper money, which is
more economical, and the fluctua-
tions of which would only depend on
the prudence of our government,
while the fluctuations of silver depend
upon causes over which we have
absolutely no control. It is impos-
sible, then, for us, however much we
may regret it, to adopt silver, except
as a subsidiary coinage, as established
by the bill of the committee on finance.
We must agree to adopt the system
of gold coinage."

AFRAID OF AMERICAN SILVER.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—William Elroy
Curtis, who is making a tour through
Canada, wires the Record that the
boycott of American silver is general,
although up to ten days ago it was
circulated at par along with the Cana-
dian coin, and none thought of mak-
ing a distinction. In the street car
shops, the hotels, railway stations,
restaurants, news stands and saloons,
cards are prominently displayed with
the inscription: "No American silver
taken here." The boycott extends
even to the newsboys, bootblacks and
hackmen, and is entirely due to the
Chicago platform and the fear of
Bryan's election. A few shopkeepers
in Toronto and Montreal are trying
to use the boycott to work up a trade
and display cards reading: "American
silver taken here." These people use
it to pay bills in trade with the
United States. Silver certificates are
also tabooed. Curtis tried to get a
Bland dollar turned into small
change at several Montreal banks, but
met a refusal in each case. Until the
boycott the average takings in of
American silver by the Bank of Mon-
treal and the Canadian Bank of Com-
merce averaged \$50,000 or \$60,000
weekly.Few people do have proper respect
for the stomach. If a thing "tastes
good" and is not so hot or so cold as
to be painful to the mouth or throat,
it is swallowed by too many people
regardless of consequences.

Brainerd Dispatch.

INGERSOLL & WIELAND, PUBLISHERS.
BRAINERD, MINNESOTA

Alphonse Karr, a noted French author, defines woman as a creature who "dresses, chatters and undresses."

Queen Victoria hasn't abdicated yet. When she does, the prince of Wales will be grayer, but perhaps not gay, than he is now.

A Jersey City hackman was hauled before a justice the other day and fined \$6 for indulging in two swear words in public.

Ireland has stood the prolonged drought much better than England, and, save in a few places where the soil was abnormally scanty, crops now nearing harvest are exceptionally good.

At a sale of pictures in London, recently, masters of the Dutch school, which belonged to Sir Edward J. Dean Paul of Cambridge House, Benham, realized about \$58,000.

Greater New York will have a population larger than that of the whole Union at the time of the adoption of the constitution. Only six states now exceed it in population.

The North of Ireland is aroused to resistance to the project of fencing in the approaches to the Giant's Causeway, with a view to levy toll on sight-seers.

The Yale lock manufacturers have proven that in a patent lock having six "steps," each capable of being reduced in height twenty times, the number of changes or combinations will be 86,400.

The Italian war ship that was sunk by Italians recently can at least rest assured that she will never be sunk by a foe. We make this suggestion because small warships are sometimes gratefully received.

There is a movement on foot to celebrate the rising in Ireland in 1798, and the memories of Fitzgerald, Wolfe Tone and the heroes who sacrificed themselves in the cause of Ireland at that occasion.

Forks did not come into general use until the reign of Louis XIV, and even then many great personages, among them the king's elegant mother, Anne of Austria, preferred to use the fingers to convey food to their dainty mouths.

Longfellow showed how spare minutes may be utilized, in his translation of Dante's Divine Comedy into English verse. He tells us that the whole work was accomplished mornings in the quarter hours during which he waited for his coffee to pour over a spirit lamp.

The city of Gloucester, England, which some years ago discarded compulsory vaccination, has been brought to see the error of its ways by a terrible epidemic of disease, which early in the present year broke out in its midst and made sad havoc among its inhabitants.

The secretary of the United States Brewers' association says the capital invested in the brewing business in the United States for the last year was nearly \$105,788,003. This was made up from \$143,196,311 invested in breweries and \$22,592,692 in malting houses.

M. Coquelin, the famous French actor, well known also to American theatergoers, has been heavily sentenced by French courts. As a member of the Comedie Francaise, which is a subsidized theater, he had been forbidden to play, without special permit, upon other stages.

Woman has legally confirmed her claim to a new right—that of smoking in the street cars set aside for that purpose. The woman whose smoking led to a test case had a New York street railway conductor rebuked for attempting to arrest her for indulging in the weed. Now watch the new woman's smoke.

People in this part of the world are just now in no mood to sympathize with Lieut. Peary, whose ship is fast in an ice floe on the coast of Greenland. As against the discomforts of a hot war, they think he has little to complain of in his present cold situation.

Now that Weyler has determined to take the field in person against the Cubans, the latter ought to win about every battle. So far in this campaign, Weyler has been plain lightning as a talker, but his achievements in the field night have been easily eclipsed by a boy with a tin sword.

British officers campaigning in the Sudan declare that the dervishes have lost none of their old-time valor, and that if trained and disciplined, they would make magnificent soldiers. The blacks fighting with them are said to do so under coercion, not from fear, and one hundred of those taken prisoners in a recent engagement have enlisted in the British ranks.

Gilbon, the great historian, speaking of his first love-making, which was brought to an end by his father's displeasure, says: "I sighed like a lover, but obeyed like a son." This is just what Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., in his love affair with Miss Wilson, did not do. He may have sighed like a son, just a little, at his father's dissent, but when the time came he obeyed like a lover, and was punctually on hand.

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The railroad exhibits of products grown along their lines will be very comprehensive at the Minnesota state fair.

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Joseph Gall, while attempting to board a Great Northern freight train at Anoka, made a mistake, losing one leg.

Eric Eckman shot and killed Daniel Clough at Randall. The crime is said to be the result of a dispute about a vacant lot.

Lightning struck the barn of Warren Potter & Co. at Grand Rapids, causing fire, which destroyed the barn and log house, and killed the horses.

During a heavy storm the barn of Rev. Braden at Thief River Falls was struck by lightning, and the barn and outbuildings were destroyed.

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In the Protestant Lutheran church near Millersburg was struck by lightning and was entirely consumed. Loss, \$1,500; insured for \$1,000.

William Hieberbrandt, a farmer living a few miles from Northfield, lost a cow by lightning. Loss, \$800; insured for \$800.

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August Westling, the representative of Fairbanks, Morse & Co., St. Paul, was killed by a falling elevator at the Columbia elevator, committed suicide by shooting himself. Cause unknown.

A tramp helped himself to three shirts in T. W. Sheley's store at Montgomery and made a rush to get away. He was captured and the goods recovered.

The creditors of Bills & West, brick-makers, who failed in business, are waiting for the result of the sale of the property.

The new directory of Winona is about to be published. It contains 9,533 names, and the population is estimated at 23,775.

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Rev. J. C. Hall, formerly pastor of the Clinton Avenue M. E. church of St. Paul, is accused of poisoning his wife with arsenic.

Jerry Frick, a farm hand near Hay Creek, near Red Wing, died of sunstroke while working in the fields.

The railroad exhibits of products grown along their lines will be very comprehensive at the Minnesota state fair this year.

Mrs. Martha Holzner of Hampton died, aged ninety-one years. She was a native of New York, and had lived there for many years.

Joseph Gall, while attempting to board a Great Northern freight train at St. Paul, was killed.

Erkman shot and killed Daniel Clough at Randall. The crime is said to have been committed for a contract.

Lightning struck the barn of Warren Potter & Co. at Grand Rapids, causing fire, which destroyed the barn and the contents.

During a heavy storm the barn of Rev. Braden at Thief River Falls was struck by lightning, and the contents consumed, together with all its contents, including a cow and two pigs.

The house of Thomas Brown at Monticello, Minn., was burned.

In the recent storm the Lutheran church near Millersburg was struck by lightning and was entirely consumed.

William Hieserbrandt, a farmer living a few miles from Northfield, lost a large herd of cattle, and his cows and farming implements. Loss about \$800.

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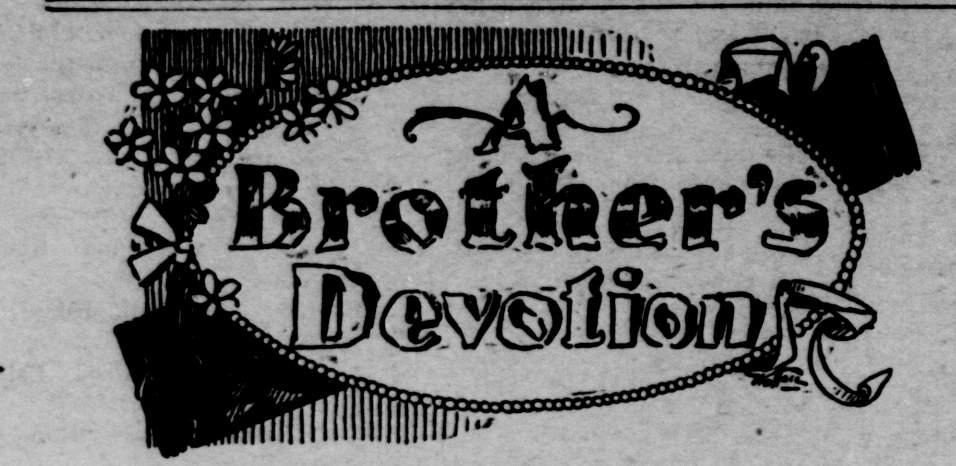
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Vivette's Dreamworld

CHAPTER XIII.

"Clean Your Boots."

If Tony had been required to say on what were based his hopes of accomplishing that which he had promised to effect he must have answered that he didn't know; for, questioning himself on the matter, that was the reply which he received. He was not sure, yet, knowing not how success could come to him, and especially within the time which he himself had set, he was nevertheless most certain that he should triumph.

He hadn't dreamed of nothing had not proceeded to do it, and in the direction to be suddenly pulled up before arriving at the proper termination of his journey.

It was the truth, Tony's main reliance for success was on the fact that the two men whose villainy he had now to make appear were at present separated, and with a positive necessity existing with each of them to be off home without delay.

"And we shall see what will happen when they do meet again," was Tony's thought.

It was about 9 o'clock in the evening when the two brothers had quitted Sir Loughlin O'Meara's house, and having assured Sydney that he was not to be disturbed would most certainly be done, Tony requested his brother to be off home without delay.

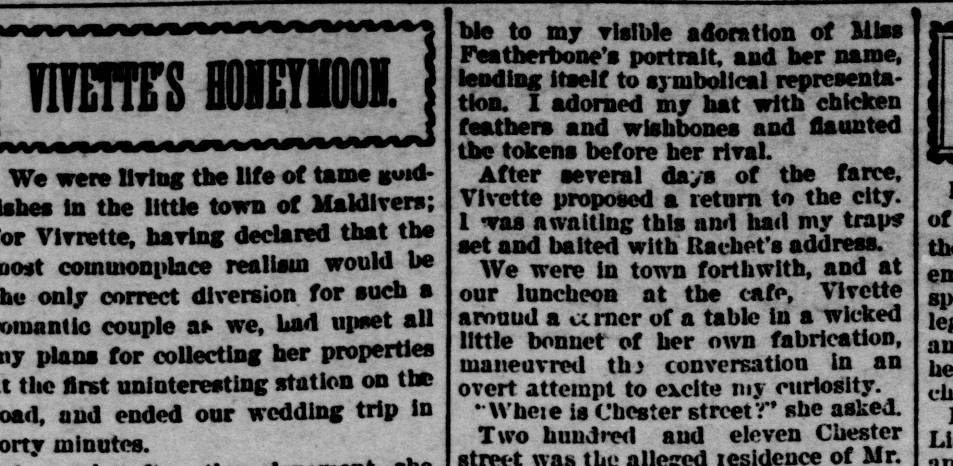
"Because," said Tony, "I have a good deal of work to do, and it is not my deal, cannot set about it."

"You can only do it, Sydney," he said, "and if you have not lost all desire for the restoration of your fair fame, you must become the husband of charming Frances O'Meara—take yourself off as fast as your legs will carry you."

Thus inquired, Sydney remained not an instant longer, but disappeared as rapidly as he had been requested.

His brother gone, Tony made the point of proceeding hurriedly in an opposite direction, but almost instantly returned, and stood concealed in a corner, exactly opposite to Sir Loughlin O'Meara's mansion.

The leaf which had been torn from the safe-book would be in the possession of the gentleman who had played him that pretty trick. Tony had no doubt about that.



A Boy Veteran

It is pleasant to record an instance of a little soldier who passed through the most active scenes of the war and emerged from it even more of a boy in spirit than when he entered. Indeed, he was a little soldier who was a boy in spirit, and a boy in spirit was a little soldier.

After several days of the farce, Vivette proposed a return to the city, and after a long and arduous journey, he arrived in the city of New York.

"Where is Chester street?" she asked. "Two hundred and eleven Chester street," said Vivette.

"It's out by the Conservatory of Music," replied Vivette, "a small house on the corner of the street."

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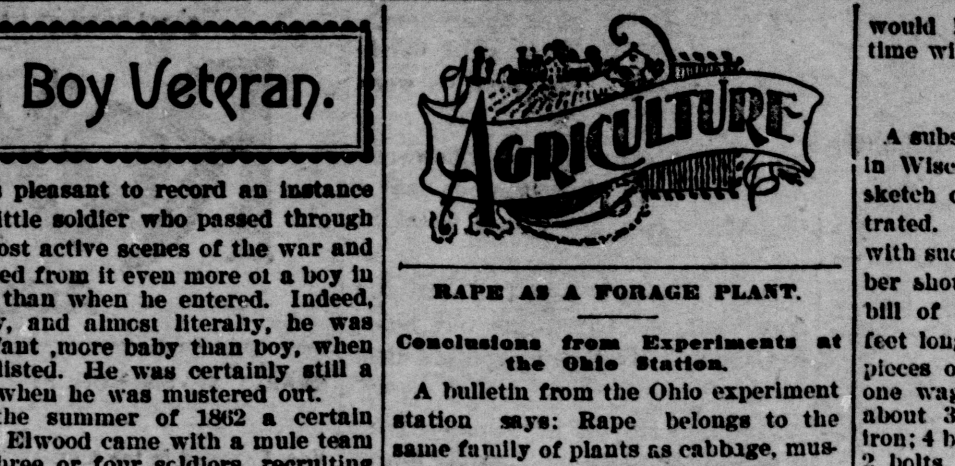
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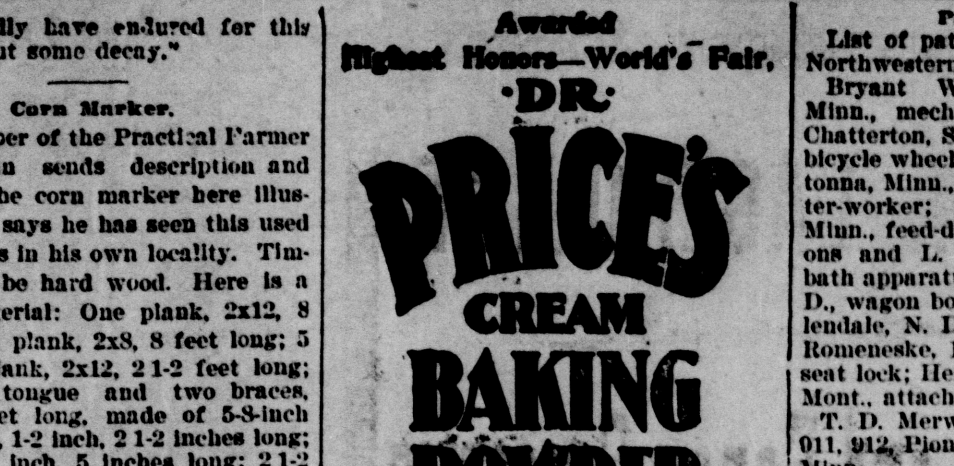
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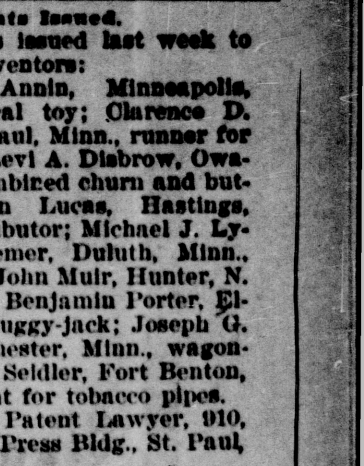
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FRIDAYS—
SATURDAYS—
THURSDAYS—At Frank Thienes' Farm in Daggett Brook Township.

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Local News Notes.
Smith & Winslow, insurance.
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L. J. Cale is in St. Paul on business.
Fred Lowe was in Duluth the first of the week.
Rev. J. C. Huntington was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. J. Hartley returned from Duluth on Wednesday.
The barbers have signed an agreement to close at 8 o'clock.
Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.
John E. Ireland made a business trip to Little Falls on Wednesday.
Go to Bane & Bane's for home-made lard, three pounds for 25 cents.
W. E. Campbell returned on Monday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.
Mrs. G. P. Watson, of Duluth, is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.
The Germania Maennerchor will give a picnic at Woodland Park on Sunday.
Miss Bessie Mulrine went to Staples on Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. McLane.
Mrs. J. W. Nobles, of St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday to visit friends.
C. N. Parker came up from St. Paul yesterday to remain in the city a few days.
Miss Gertrude Wilson went to Litchfield yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Simpson.

Rev. Opie is off on his vacation to Duluth and intends taking a trip on Lake Superior.
A. E. Moberg went to Chicago on Tuesday noon to purchase a fall stock of clothing.
Miss Ashley, of St. Cloud, is visiting in the city, the guest of her friend, Miss Rosa Arnold.
California Peaches, Oranges, Pears, Plums, Grapes, Bananas and Ko Ko Nuts at Mahoney's.
Mrs. Geo. Redding, of Minneapolis, came up on Wednesday to visit relatives in this city.

Geo. Woodling, of Detroit, was in the city Sunday and Monday renewing old acquaintances.
Mrs. W. E. Entriiken and children went down to the Twin Cities Wednesday to visit friends.
Mrs. C. D. Parker arrived in the city yesterday noon to visit her mother, Mrs. C. Grandemyer.
Remember you can get the finest home-made lard at Bane & Bane's, three pounds for 25 cents.
Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odonator, at Dr. Ribbel's.

Mrs. Wm. Bogacholm, of River Falls, Wis., was in the city the first of the week visiting friends.
Mrs. Al. Duber, of St. Cloud, arrived in the city on Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Drysdale.
S. Patek, of St. Paul, was in the city the later part of last week, visiting his brother, C. M. Patek.
J. H. Burton and family returned from Long Prairie on Monday, where they had been visiting friends.
Ed. Harry and Miss Belle McKay went to Detroit on Saturday to spend a few days at that popular resort.
Miss Anna Brown returned last Saturday evening to Crookston, after a four week's sojourn in Brainerd.

Miss Dixie Runion, of Pleasant Grove, Kentucky, is in the city visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Burton.
Mrs. P. J. Murphy came down from Aitkin on Monday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meekins.
Bro. Stivers, of the Journal, went to Aitkin on Tuesday to address a free silver meeting there that evening.
Pure steam rendered leaf lard, three pounds for 25 cents. Special prices for larger quantities at Benson & Gray's.
Hoffman's second store will buy your furniture, trade you new goods for old or sell you complete house-keeping outfits on installment, if.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a cake and cream social Friday evening, August 12th, at the Y. M. C. A. grounds. Come every one. Only 15 cents.
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. C. A. Walker on Wednesday afternoon, August 19th, from 2:30 until 4:30 o'clock.
Mrs. A. E. Losey, who has been occupying the Nevess Cottage at Long Lake for the past two weeks, entertained a party of her lady friends there on Wednesday.
Thos. E. Doyle, of Chicago, who has been visiting relatives in the city for some days, returned home on Monday. He is a cousin of Mrs. Severn Koop and Joseph Early.

The W. R. C. gave an ice cream social at the Y. M. C. A. yard Wednesday evening. The receipts were \$22.50.
Atwood & Johnson have a new sign that is a dandy. Like the business it represents, it is one of the finest in the city.
Jas. R. Smith returned on Saturday from a month's trip to his old home in Canada. Mr. Smith reports a most delightful visit.

Miss Eva Hoyer, at Racine, Wis., arrived in the city on Tuesday morning to visit her cousins, J. S. and R. O. Drysdale and Miss Tena.
Don't forget the G. A. R. camp fire at the opera house on Friday evening, Aug. 28th. Ignatius Donnelly will lecture on "Wit and Humor."

Miss Teus Drysdale and Miss Katie Pearce left on Thursday noon for St. Cloud, where they will visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.
Twenty young ladies and gentlemen of Minneapolis passed through the city on Tuesday en route for Leech Lake where a several day's outing will be enjoyed.

Lost—On Sunday, August 2nd, between the Northern Mill and the Arlington, a ladies' small black watch with chain and Royal Arcanum charm. Leave at Arlington Hotel and receive liberal reward.
H. W. Mowry was in the city on Tuesday to serve notices on the members of the board of county commissioners in the suit brought against them to show cause why they had annexed a portion of Cass.

The attention of the municipal court on Monday afternoon was given to a trial of simple assault preferred against James Towers, Jr., by Robert McMeekins. Mr. Towers was adjudged innocent by the court and released.
Wm. Bredfeld will open a saloon in his store room on East Front street just as soon as the room is vacated by J. F. Hawkin's meat market, which will be in a few days. The meat market will be moved two doors east from its present location.

The committee appointed to secure permanent headquarters for the McKinley and Morris Club, have been unable yet to make arrangements for a room, hence the next meeting will be held in the same place as the last, Peabody & Baker's hall, unless otherwise ordered later on.
Fred K. Merritt, registrar of Yale College, at New Haven, Conn., arrived in the city on Tuesday, and will remain here a month visiting his mother and sister, and renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Merritt intended to come from Buffalo to Duluth by boat, but before the boat got to Detroit her boilers were disabled so she could not proceed on her journey, so the company sent her passengers to their destination by rail.

The time of the municipal court was occupied on Monday in hearing the preliminary examination of Mrs. Viola Vanderwerker, of Daggett Brook, charged by her husband with adultery with Edward Loughton, who was arrested at the same time but escaped from the officers. Mrs. Vanderwerker was tried in the district court last spring on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, but was not convicted. She was bound over to the grand jury, and in default of bail went to jail.
Executive Agent Fullerton and Secretary Benson, of the State Fish and Game Commission, were in the city the first of the week, and were out at Ferris Lake, which the commission is using to propagate black bass. Mr. Fullerton, on his return expressed himself as dissatisfied with the results obtained there, and said that they would be the lake again, and if no small bass were found the lake would be abandoned. We are reliably informed that the gentlemen had no means of knowing whether the lake contains any bass or not, as they did not see one, but merely walked around and rowed on it.

The Royal Arch degree was conferred on Saturday evening by Brainerd Chapter No. 47, at which there was a large attendance of members. After the ceremony a banquet was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star, as is the invariable custom, over 60 people being present at the banquet. A special train from Staples brought down a delegation of Masons with their ladies to attend the banquet as follows: Superintendent A. J. Sovereign and wife and two nieces, C. E. McMullen and wife, C. F. Hall, Will Jones, Phillip Van Meter, and others whose names we could not learn. A very enjoyable time is reported.

A Very Serious Accident.
James Willis, foreman of the planing mill at the N. P. shops, at about 11 o'clock last Monday morning, met with an accident that, it was first thought, would necessarily prove fatal. The machinery that works the planer to the furnace got out of order, and Mr. Willis, with his brother, Tom, was on a platform some 15 feet above the floor, fixing it. He took a wrench to tighten a nut, when the wrench slipped, throwing Mr. Willis head-first to the floor below. He struck his head on an iron jack, fracturing the back part of his skull. Notwithstanding the awful blow, Mr. Willis was conscious, and with the assistance of a man on each side of him walked to the engine that took him to the Sanitarium, and also walked from the engine into the Sanitarium on arriving there. He was immediately placed under the influence of ether, and his injuries treated by Dr. Courtney. It was necessary to remove some broken pieces of the skull and clotting blood from the brain and raise the skull, which had been depressed by the blow. The injury was of such a serious character that it was at first thought that he could not possibly survive, but Mr. Willis has regained consciousness, and is so much better that hopes are now entertained of his complete recovery. He has hosts of friends who earnestly hope so.

DEATHS.
James Thompson, a lumberman aged 48 years, was instantly killed on last Saturday morning at the landing of the B. & N. M. Railway, while engaged in unloading logs. Mr. Thompson had fastened the chain which holds the logs on the car and had stepped back to get out of the way of the logs, and to get a cant hook to start them, when the top-most log suddenly began to roll, and as it projected farther over the end of the car it struck Mr. Thompson, who thought himself far enough back to escape them, on the head, and knocked him down the landing and killed him instantly. His remains were brought to Losey & Dean's morgue and held until Tuesday, when they were buried. Mr. Thompson was unmarried and had made his home in this city for the last fifteen years, but no one knew where he came from, further than that he told his associates that he came from Canada. Although at the time of his death he was boarding at the mill boarding house, he usually stopped at the Exchange or Globe. His remains were buried on Tuesday, Rev. Opie conducting the funeral ceremonies.

Carrie Wilmer, wife of John Wilmer, aged 23 years, died at her home in Southeast Brainerd on Tuesday, August 11th, of consumption. Her remains were taken out to Long Lake where her parents reside for burial.
Herman Erickson, an 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson, who live on Oak street in Southeast Brainerd, died yesterday, the 13th, inst. of cholera infantum, and will be buried today.

An infant son of James Montgomery, who lives at St. Matthias, died on Tuesday, the 11th inst., of cholera infantum, aged 9 months.
An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bettis died this morning of cholera infantum, aged 1 year. The funeral will occur on Sunday.
Housekeeping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar—1st.

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NEARLY SEVEN HUNDRED MEMBERS
Now Enrolled in the McKinley and Morris Club—And Still They Come.

When the Dispatch stated last week that the McKinley and Morris Club would get ten times as many members as the Journal editor predicted, we thought we had indicated the limit, and we were then much gratified by the magnificent showing that was made, but we now see that we underrated the feeling of the people on the proposition to foist cheap money on them, as will be shown by the magnificent proportions the membership lists of the club have already attained. The lists returned at the meeting of the club on Tuesday evening contained 582 names, with three lists outstanding, which probably contain enough more names to make the club membership at least 700. And still they come. Quite a large number who had not been seen came up to the meeting to sign, and those who had the lists say they were able to see only a part of those who are willing and anxious to enroll themselves. For the benefit of the Journal editor, who imagined his demographic utterances had converted the whole community, we will predict that with a little effort, 1,000 names can be secured.

The meeting held at Peabody & Baker's hall was a most enthusiastic one, notwithstanding no speeches were made and the time was simply given to the organization of the club. The meeting was called to order at 8:15, and after the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by the secretary, the committee on by-laws reported. The report was on motion read and adopted section by section, the only change made being in the third section, which was amended to read that all males over 18 years of age might become members instead of all voters. The time of meeting was also fixed by the by-laws as Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Officers were then elected as follows:
President—A. J. Halsted.
1st Vice-Pres.—R. H. Peane.
2nd Vice-Pres.—S. L. Bean.
Secretary—C. A. Allbright.
Treasurer—A. F. Ferris.
Reports of committees appointed to solicit members for the club were called for and the reports showed a total membership at that time of 582, with three lists not reported.

The secretary was instructed to furnish committees with new lists. A committee of five on finance was, on motion, appointed as follows:
A. F. Ferris, Geo. Gardner, H. Poppenberg, A. Mahlum and R. H. Peane.
A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to get up a marching club, and also a glee club. The chair appointed S. R. Adair, C. A. Allbright, A. E. Pennell, W. A. M. Johnston and A. Reinthal.
A committee of three, consisting of C. E. Chipfield, Jas. McMurtry and C. W. Wieland, was appointed to secure hall for permanent place of meeting during the campaign.

It was moved that every member of the club be a member of the marching club, and the motion was carried amid shouts of applause.
The marching club committee was ordered to select a suitable uniform and report at next meeting.
Meeting adjourned subject to call of the president.

Board of Equalization.
Pursuant to adjournment board of equalization met at 10 a. m., Tuesday, August 11th, 1896.
All members present.
The following reductions were made:
Lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, Block 319, were reduced to \$30 each.
All cut off lands in the following towns were reduced to \$150 per acre, viz:
Town 138, Range 31; Town 139, Range 31; Town 141, Range 29; Town 141, Range 30; Town 141, Range 31; Town 140, Range 25; Town 142, Range 25; Town 143, Range 25; Town 144, Range 25; Town 140, Range 26; Town 141, Range 26; Town 143, Range 28; Town 143, Range 27; Town 135, Range 32; Town 136, Range 32, and Town 137, Range 32.
Motion was made and seconded to reduce improvements on Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 45, \$5,000.
Ayes—H. Patterson, John Bubar, Henry Mahle and Louis Tache.
Nayes—A. P. Farrar.
Lot 3, Section 24, Town 45, Range 31, reduced \$200.
Improvements on Lot 7, Block 45, were reduced \$1,000.
Willis' Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
Koop & Walker's Addition was reduced 25 per cent.
Schmidt's Second Addition was reduced 20 per cent.
East Side Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
St. Paul Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
Board adjourned sine die.

MARRIED.
Mr. C. P. McLean and Miss Maggie Reinstadler were united in marriage last Monday evening at the residence of Rev. Father Lynch, the reverend gentleman conducting the ceremony. The wedding was a quiet one, no invitations having been issued, and only intimate friends and relatives of the contracting parties being present. Miss Louise Reinstadler, the bride's sister, was bridesmaid, and Joseph Murphy was the groom's best man. Mr. and Mrs. McLean left for their wedding tour on 3:30 Duluth train.
Both of the contracting parties are well known in this city. The groom is the genial, well-schooled manager of the Minneapolis Brewing Co.'s business in this city, and the bride is the charming daughter of Mrs. Reinstadler, who lives on Kindred street in East Brainerd. She has resided in this city since childhood, and has hosts of friends who will wish her every joy in her new relation.
Mr. and Mrs. McLean returned home from Duluth last evening.

Mr. Max H. Kneiff, of Bay Lake, and Miss Carrie B. Phelps, of Crow Wing, were united in marriage on Wednesday, August 12th, 1896, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Phelps, Rev. R. C. Opie, of the First M. E. church, of this city, performing the ceremony. It was a private wedding, only a few of the intimate friends and relatives of the contracting parties being present, among whom were Prof. Wilson and wife and daughter, and Rev. A. Speers and wife, of this city.

Annexation Dispute.
A writ of quo warrantu was issued last Saturday by Judge Mitchell, of the supreme court, citing the members of the board of county commissioners of Crow Wing county to appear before the court October 6th, to show by what warrant they had annexed thirteen townships of Cass county. The members of the board are A. P. Farrar, Joel Smith, John Bubar, Henry Mahle and Harry Patterson. The action is taken for the purpose of finally disposing of the dispute between the authorities of Crow Wing and Cass county relative to the annexation.

W. C. T. U.
The W. C. T. U. meeting held on Tuesday last was a very interesting one. Plans for the coming year's work were mapped out, and although definite action was not taken on all of them, work will be taken up later on. Mrs. Jesse Smith was appointed superintendent of jail and hospital work, and Mrs. J. Wickham was appointed chairman of the visiting committee. There were three visitors present. This was encouraging, as we are always glad to have ladies come and find out what we are doing.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen.
A red Irish setter, with small white spot on breast, and a very bushy tail. Answers to name of "Turk." A liberal reward will be given for information leading to his recovery.
Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper Block.
Pure Leaf Lard.
Pure steam rendered leaf lard, three pounds for 25 cents. Special prices for larger quantities.
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Teachers' Examination.
Teachers' public examination will be held in the Washington School Building on August 18th and 19th.
J. A. Wilson, County Supt. Schools.
Examination of Teachers.
The examination advertised to be held Aug. 12th and 13th has been postponed till Thursday and Friday, Aug. 27th and 28th.
T. Merrill Edmonds, Secretary Board of Education.

Strayed.
One week ago last Saturday a dark red cow, dry, out of pasture in Oak Lawn township. Liberal reward will be given for her return.
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Notice.
All old soldiers who want free quarters at the national encampment should notify me immediately.
N. M. Faise, Post Com.

One Fare to Cleveland and Return.
For the Biennial Encampment of the Knights of Pythias, Uniform Rank at Cleveland August 23rd to 30th, the Nickel Plate Road will sell tickets Aug. 22nd, 23rd and 24th at \$5.50 for the round trip, Chicago to Cleveland and return, being \$1.50 lower than via other lines. Tickets available on all trains, returning until August 31st. Further information cheerfully given on application to J. Y. Calahan, Gen'l Agent, 111 Adams St., Chicago, Ill. 124-33-5t.

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Thirtieth National Encampment, G. A. R. at St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 31 to Sept. 5.
COMMANDER AND COMRADES:
The Park Region Association do hereby resolve to attend the Thirtieth Annual National Encampment in a body, via Northern Pacific Railroad, main line, this train running from Fargo to St. Paul via Brainerd.
The train will leave Fargo at 7:35 A. M., Glyndon at 8:00 A. M., Hawley at 8:15 A. M., Winnipeg Junction at 8:32 A. M., Detroit at 9:17 A. M., Wadena at 10:50 A. M., Vermilion at 11:05 A. M., Staples at 11:25 A. M., Motley at 11:37 A. M., Brainerd at 12:40 P. M., Little Falls at 1:40 P. M., and arrive in St. Paul at 5:30 P. M., on Monday, Aug. 31st.

It is desired that every Post in this Park Region Association fall in line at their respective railroad stations, on day and hour first above mentioned, and report to the Colonel in command of the excursion for orders, with one day's ration.
The rate for transportation is very moderate, being one fare for the round trip. On arriving in St. Paul we will go into camp (Camp Mason) at Selby avenue and Milton street, on the Fourth street cable line. This camp will be equipped with water service, and all other conveniences. Meals will be served by a company cook to all the Association, if so desired by the Posts represented. It is requested by the Commander that each and every Post, and every comrade not a member of the order who desires to go in this excursion, notify the committee at once.

J. C. CONGDON, Brainerd, Minn.
W. M. C. ROBERTS, Detroit.
C. H. MIX, Crookston.
J. R. HALL, Detroit.
J. C. KNIGHT, Wadena.
C. V. BOOTH, Long Prairie.
JOE SMITH, Brainerd.
T. G. BELLER, Walker.
D. L. WELLMAN, Fergus.
FRANK E. SEAVEY, Aitkin.
New York Veterans' Reunion.
L. J. Wheelock, Owatonna, Minn., 161 N. Y. Vols.
L. M. Lange, Marshall, Minn., 165 N. Y. Vols.
E. D. French, Redwood Falls, Minn., 6 N. Y. Cav.
J. C. Congdon, Brainerd, Minn., 86 N. Y. Vols.
R. J. McCadden, Fairmont, Minn., 155 N. Y. Vols.
C. W. McKay, Fergus Falls, Minn., 154 N. Y. Vols.
W. C. Lincoln, Fergus Falls, Minn., 125 N. Y. Vols.
Lorenzo Johnson, Annandale, Minn., 116 N. Y. Vols.

The above committee of Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, formerly from New York, believing that all comrades from the Empire State, visiting the 30th National Encampment, would desire to meet and greet their late comrades in arms now residing in Minnesota and other western states have arranged for a Reunion of "New York Veterans" to be held in court room No. 3, Ramsey county court house, St. Paul, Minn., at 10 o'clock A. M. Sept. 3, 1896.
All comrades and their friends who served in New York state organizations are invited to be present.
Will all who can and expect to be present drop a postal card to
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H. C. SEYMOUR, Journal, Insurance and Real Estate.
A. J. HALESTED, Tribune.
Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1915.

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Local News Notes.
Smith & Winslow, insurance.
Smith & Winslow loan money.
Smith & Winslow, real estate.
Smith & Winslow rent houses.
L. J. Cale is in St. Paul on business.
Fred Lowe was in Duluth the first of the week.
Rev. J. O. Huntington was in the city yesterday.
Mrs. T. J. Hartley returned from Duluth on Wednesday.
The barbers have signed an agreement to close at 8 o'clock.
Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.
John E. Ireland made a business trip to Little Falls on Wednesday.
Go to Bane & Bane's for home-made lard, three pounds for 25 cents.
W. E. Campbell returned on Monday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.
Mrs. G. F. Watson, of Duluth, is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.
The Germania Maennerchor will give a picnic at Woodland Park on Sunday.
Miss Beattie Mulrine went to Staples on Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. McLane.
Mrs. J. W. Nobles, of St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday to visit friends.
C. N. Parker came up from St. Paul yesterday to remain in the city a few days.
Miss Gertrude Wilson went to Litchfield yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Simpson.
Rev. Opie is off on his vacation to Duluth and intends taking a trip on Lake Superior.
A. E. Moberg went to Chicago on Tuesday noon to purchase a fall stock of clothing.
Miss Ashley, of St. Cloud, is visiting in the city, the guest of her friend, Miss Rosa Arnold.
California Peaches, Oranges, Pears, Plums, Grapes, Bananas and Ko Ko Nuts at Mahoney's.
Mrs. Geo. Redding, of Minneapolis came up on Wednesday to visit relatives in this city.
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The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. C. A. Walker on Wednesday afternoon, August 19th, from 2:30 until 4:30 o'clock.
Mrs. A. E. Losey, who has been occupying the Nevins Cottage at Long Lake for the past two weeks, entertained a party of her lady friends there on Wednesday.
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L. J. Cale is in St. Paul on business.
Fred Lowe was in Duluth the first of the week.
Rev. J. O. Huntington was in the city yesterday.
Mrs. T. J. Hartley returned from Duluth on Wednesday.
The barbers have signed an agreement to close at 8 o'clock.
Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.
John E. Ireland made a business trip to Little Falls on Wednesday.
Go to Bane & Bane's for home-made lard, three pounds for 25 cents.
W. E. Campbell returned on Monday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.
Mrs. G. F. Watson, of Duluth, is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.
The Germania Maennerchor will give a picnic at Woodland Park on Sunday.
Miss Beattie Mulrine went to Staples on Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. McLane.
Mrs. J. W. Nobles, of St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday to visit friends.
C. N. Parker came up from St. Paul yesterday to remain in the city a few days.
Miss Gertrude Wilson went to Litchfield yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Simpson.
Rev. Opie is off on his vacation to Duluth and intends taking a trip on Lake Superior.
A. E. Moberg went to Chicago on Tuesday noon to purchase a fall stock of clothing.
Miss Ashley, of St. Cloud, is visiting in the city, the guest of her friend, Miss Rosa Arnold.
California Peaches, Oranges, Pears, Plums, Grapes, Bananas and Ko Ko Nuts at Mahoney's.
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NEARLY SEVEN HUNDRED MEMBERS
Now Enrolled in the McKinley and Morris Club—And SOON THEY COME.

When the DISPATCH stated last week that the McKinley and Morris Club would get ten times as many members as the Journal editor predicted, we thought we had indicated the limit, and we were then much gratified by the magnificent showing that was made, but we now see that we underestimated the feeling of the people on the proposition to foist cheap money on them, as will be shown by the magnificent proportions the membership lists of the club have already attained. The lists returned at the meeting of the club on Tuesday evening contained 693 names, with three lists outstanding, which probably contains enough more names to make the club membership at least 700. And still they come. Quite a large number who had not been seen came up to the meeting to sign, and those who had the lists say they were able to see only a part of those who are willing and anxious to enroll themselves. For the benefit of the Journal editor, who imagined his demagogic utterances had converted the whole community, we will predict that with a little effort 1,000 names can be secured.

The meeting held at Peabody & Baker's hall was a most enthusiastic one, notwithstanding no speeches were made and the time was simply given to the organization of the club. The meeting was called to order at 8:15, and after the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by the secretary, the committee on by-laws reported. The report was on motion read and adopted section by section, the only change made being in the third section, which was amended to read that all males over 18 years of age might become members instead of all voters. The time of meeting was fixed by the by-laws as Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Officers were then elected as follows:
President—A. J. Haleded.
1st Vice-Pres.—R. H. Paine.
2nd Vice-Pres.—S. L. Bean.
Secretary—C. A. Allbright.
Treasurer—A. F. Ferris.

Reports of committees appointed to solicit members for the club were called for and the reports showed a total membership at that time of 593, with three lists not reported.

The secretary was instructed to furnish committees with new lists. A committee of five on finance was on motion, appointed as follows:
A. F. Ferris, Geo. Gardner, H. Poppenberg, A. Mahlum and R. H. Paine.

A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to get up a marching club, and also a glee club. The chair appointed S. R. Adair, C. A. Allbright, A. E. Pennell, W. A. M. Johnston and A. Reinthal.

A committee of three, consisting of C. E. Chipperfield, Jas. McMurtry and F. W. Wisland, was appointed to secure hall for permanent place of meeting during the campaign.

It was moved that every member of the club be a member of the marching club, and the motion was carried amid shouts of applause.

The marching club committee was ordered to select a suitable uniform and report at next meeting.

Meeting adjourned subject to call of the president.

DEATHS.
James Thompson, a lumberman aged 48 years, was instantly killed on last Saturday morning at the landing of the E. & N. M. Railway, when engaged in unloading logs. Mr. Thompson had fastened the chain which holds the logs on the car and had stepped back to get out of the way of the logs, and to get a cant hook to start them, when the top-most log suddenly began to roll, and as it projected farther over the end of the car it struck Mr. Thompson, who thought himself far enough back to escape them, on the head, and knocked him down the landing and killed him instantly. His remains were brought to Losey & Dean's morgue and held until Tuesday, when they were buried. Mr. Thompson was unmarried and had made his home in this city for the last fifteen years, but no one knew where he came from, further than that he told his associates that he came from Canada. Although at the time of his death he was boarding at the mill boarding house, he usually stopped at the Exchange or Globe. His remains were buried on Tuesday, Rev. Opie conducting the funeral ceremonies.

Carrie Wilmer, wife of John Wilmer, aged 23 years, died at her home in Southeast Brainerd on Tuesday, August 11th, of consumption. Her remains were taken out to Long Lake where her parents reside for burial.

Herman Erickson, an 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson, who live on Oak street in Southeast Brainerd, died yesterday, the 13th, inst., of cholera infantum, and will be buried today.

An infant son of James Montgomery, who lives at St. Matthias, died on Tuesday, the 11th inst., of cholera infantum, aged 9 months.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bettis died this morning of cholera infantum, aged 1 year. The funeral will occur on Sunday.

Housekeeping outfits on the installment plan at the Hoffman Bazaar.—17.

Annexation Dispute.
A writ of quo warranto was issued last Saturday by Judge Mitchell, of the supreme court, citing the members of the board of county commissioners of Crow Wing county to appear before the court October 6th, to show by what warrant they had annexed thirteen townships of Cass county. The members of the board are A. P. Farrar, Joel Smith, John Baber, Henry Mahle and Harry Patterson. The action is taken for the purpose of finally disposing of the dispute between the authorities of Crow Wing and Cass county relative to the annexation.

W. O. T. U.
The W. O. T. U. meeting held on Tuesday last was a very interesting one. Plans for the coming year's work were mapped out, and although definite action was not taken on all of them, work will be taken up later on. Mrs. Jesse Smith was appointed superintendent of jail and hospital work, and Mrs. J. Wickham was appointed chairman of the visiting committee. There were three visitors present. This was encouraging, as we are always glad to have ladies come and and out what we are doing.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen.
A red Irish setter, with small white spot on breast, and a very bushy tail. Answers to name of "Turk." A liberal reward will be given for information leading to his recovery.
Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper Block.

Pure Leaf Lard.
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Teachers' Examination.
Teachers' public examination will be held in the Washington School Building on August 18th and 19th.
J. A. Wilson, County Superintendent.

Examination of Teachers.
The examination advertised to be held Aug. 12th and 13th has been postponed 'till Thursday and Friday, Aug. 27th and 28th.
T. Merrill Edwards, Secretary Board of Education.

Strayed.
One week ago last Saturday a dark red cow, dry, out of pasture in Oak Lawn township. Liberal reward will be given for her return.
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Notice.
All old soldiers who want free quarters at the national encampment should notify me immediately.
N. M. Farris, Post Com.

One Fare to Cleveland and Return
For the Biennial Encampment of the Knights of Pythias, Uniform Rank at Cleveland August 23rd to 30th, the Nickel Plate Road will sell tickets Aug. 22nd, 23rd and 24th at \$8.50 for the round trip, Chicago to Cleveland and return, being \$1.50 lower than via other lines. Tickets available on all trains, returning until August 31st. Further information cheerfully given on application to J. Y. Calahan, Gen'l Agent, 111 Adams St., Chicago, Ill. 124-33-5t.

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Agents wanted to sell the Life and Speeches of McKinley, with proceedings of St. Louis Convention, platform of party and other valuable information. 320 pages, with 20 full page illustrations. Price, cloth, \$1.00. half morocco, \$1.50; Sixty per cent discount to agents. Send 30 per cent for prospectus and full particulars, and go to work at once. You can sell 200 copies in your town. Address J. S. Ogilvie Publishing Company, 57 Rose street, New York.

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Thirtieth National Encampment, G. A. R. at St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 31 to Sept. 5.
COMMANDER AND COMRADES:
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The train will leave Fargo at 7:35 A. M., Glyndon at 8:00 A. M., Hawley at 8:15 A. M., Winnipeg Junction at 8:32 A. M., Detroit at 9:17 A. M., Wadena at 10:50 A. M., Verndale at 11:03 A. M., Staples at 11:25 A. M., Moleley at 11:37 A. M., Brainerd at 12:40 P. M., Little Falls at 1:40 P. M., and arrive in St. Paul at 5:30 P. M., on Monday, Aug. 31st.

It is desired that every Post in this Park Region Association fall in line at their respective railroad stations, on day and hour first above mentioned, and report to the Colonel in command of the excursion for orders, with one day's ration.

The rate for transportation is very moderate, being one fare for the round trip. On arriving in St. Paul we will go into camp (Camp Mason) at Selby avenue and Milton street, on the Fourth street cable line. This camp will be equipped with water service and all other conveniences. Meals will be served by a company cook to all the Association, if so desired by the Post represented. It is requested by the Commander that each and every Post, and every comrade not a member of the order who desires to go in this excursion, notify the committee at once.

J. C. CONGDON, Brainerd, Minn.
Wm. C. ROBERTS, Detroit.
C. H. HILL, Crookston.
J. R. MALL, Detroit.

New York Veterans' Reunion.
L. L. Wheelock, Owatonna, Minn., 161 N. Y. Vols.
L. M. Lange, Marshall, Minn., 165 N. Y. Vols.
E. D. French, Redwood Falls, Minn., 6 N. Y. Cav.
J. G. Congdon, Brainerd, Minn., 86 N. Y. Vols.
R. J. McCadden, Fairmont, Minn., 155 N. Y. Vols.
C. W. McKay, Fergus Falls, Minn., 154 N. Y. Vols.
W. C. Lincoln, Fergus Falls, Minn., 125 N. Y. Vols.
Lorenzo Johnson, Annandale, Minn., 116 N. Y. Vols.

The above committee of Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, formerly from New York, believing that all comrades from the Empire State, visiting the 30th National Encampment, would desire to meet and greet their late comrades in arms now residing in Minnesota and other western states have arranged for a Reunion of "New York Veterans" to be held in court room No. 3, Ramsey county court house, St. Paul, Minn., at 10 o'clock A. M. Sept. 3, 1896.

All comrades and their friends who served in New York state organizations are invited to be present. Will all who can and expect to be present drop a postal card to
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Blue Calicoes, per yard.....	5 Cts.	Percales, former 12 1/2 Cents, Now.....	10 Cts.
Fancy Calicoes, per yard.....	6 Cts.	Fast Black Hose, per pair.....	9 Cts.
Epatants, per yard.....	7 Cts.	Fast Black Sox, per pair.....	9 Cts.
Bannerettes, per yard.....	7 Cts.	Grey Mixed Sox, per pair.....	8 Cts.
Challies, Fast Colors, per yard.....	6 Cts.	Ins. per paper.....	1 Cts.

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Ladies' Fine Hand Sewed Tan Shoes, Elegant Values..... \$1.50
Ladies' Fine Grade Shoe..... \$1.50
Our Best Goods, Regular \$3.00 Goods, Down to..... \$1.95
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Children's Tan Shoes, per pair \$1.00, 75 cents, and..... 65c
Ladies' Black Oxford Shoes..... 75c

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12 1/2 cents
Veal Stew, Three Pounds
25 cents
Mutton Stew
7 cents
Side Pork
8 cents
Nice Beef Roasts
10 cents
Best Pot Roasts
8 cents
Chickens, Etc.
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City Market.

Board of Equalization.
Pursuant to adjournment board of equalization met at 10 a. m., Tuesday, August 11th, 1896.
All members present.
The following reductions were made:
Lots 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, Block 319, were reduced to \$30 each.
All cut off lands in the following towns were reduced to \$1.50 per acre, viz:
Town 138, Range 31; Town 139, Range 31; Town 141, Range 29; Town 141, Range 30; Town 141, Range 31; Town 140, Range 25; Town 142, Range 25; Town 140, Range 26; Town 141, Range 26; Town 142, Range 26; Town 143, Range 28; Town 143, Range 27; Town 135, Range 32; Town 136, Range 32; and Town 137, Range 32.
Motion was made and seconded to reduce improvements on Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 45, \$5,000.
Ayes—H. Patterson, John Baber, Henry Mahle and Louis Tache.
Nayes—A. P. Farrar.
Lot 3, Section 24, Town 45, Range 31, reduced \$300.
Improvements on Lot 7, Block 45, were reduced \$1,000.
Willie's Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
Koop & Walker's Addition was reduced 25 per cent.
Schmeltz's Second Addition was reduced 20 per cent.
East Side Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
St. Paul Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
Board adjourned sine die.
LOUIS TACHE, Co. Auditor.

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BRainerd, MINNESOTA.

Alphonse Karr, a noted French author, defines woman as a creature who "dresses, chatters and undresses."

Queen Victoria hasn't abdicated yet. When she does, the prince of Wales will be grayer, but perhaps not grayer, than he is now.

A Jersey City hackman was hauled before a justice the other day and fined \$6 for indulging in two swear words in public.

Ireland has stood the prolonged drought much better than England, and, save in a few places where the soil was abnormally scanty, crops now nearing harvest are exceptionally good.

At a sale of pictures in London, recently, masters of the Dutch school, which belonged to Sir Edward J. Denu Paul of Cambridge House, Benham, realized about \$58,000.

Greater New York will have a population larger than that of the whole Union at the time of the adoption of the constitution. Only six states now exceed it in population.

The North of Ireland is aroused to resistance to the project of fencing in the approaches to the Giant's Causeway, with a view to levy toll on sight-seers.

The Yale clock manufacturers have proven that in a patent lock having six "catches," each capable of being rendered in height twenty times, the number of changes or combinations will be \$6,400.

The Italian war ship that was sunk by Italians recently can at least rest assured that she was never among the sea. We make this suggestion because small factories are sometimes gratefully received.

Four persons were drowned in the Illinois river, near Quincy.

A cloud-burst in Upper Clear Creek canyon, Colo., is reported, with heavy loss of life. No particulars are given. It was reported that a school teacher, Sherman, will stomp the West against free silver.

A collision in the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway yards, at Galesburg, seriously injured several men who were in a way car.

Fayette Mead, living near Fredericksburg, Iowa, was gored to death by a vicious bull. He was found dead in his pasture.

The White river is higher than it has been in years. The suspension bridge between the Ind. and West. is being washed out. A number of boys into the river. It is feared that the five remaining bridges will go.

Charles Snuch, engineer, and Alexander Smith, fireman, were killed on a freight train on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, six miles west of St. Louis.

A freight train on the Oxford & Clarksville railroad went through a bridge twelve miles from Durham, N. C. The engineer and fireman are believed to have been killed.

Timothy J. Darcy, one of the oldest and most widely-known residents of Northern Illinois, whose life for the past thirty years has been devoted to the raising of agricultural implements in Woodstock, was struck by a limited train and died a few minutes later.

Evil Devils.

A Louisiana tramp assaulted and murdered a woman and was burned at the stake.

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When Victoria hasn't abdicated yet. When she does, the prince of Wales will be grayer, but perhaps not grayer, than he is now.

A Jersey City hackman was hauled before a justice the other day and fined \$6 for indulging in two swear words in public.

Ireland has stood the prolonged drought much better than England, and, save in a few places where the soil was abnormally scanty, crops now nearing harvest are exceptionally good.

At a sale of pictures in London, recently, masters of the Dutch school, which belonged to Sir Edward J. Denu Paul of Cambridge House, Benham, realized about \$58,000.

Greater New York will have a population larger than that of the whole Union at the time of the adoption of the constitution. Only six states now exceed it in population.

The North of Ireland is aroused to resistance to the project of fencing in the approaches to the Giant's Causeway, with a view to levy toll on sight-seers.

The Yale clock manufacturers have proven that in a patent lock having six "catches," each capable of being rendered in height twenty times, the number of changes or combinations will be \$6,400.

The Italian war ship that was sunk by Italians recently can at least rest assured that she was never among the sea. We make this suggestion because small factories are sometimes gratefully received.

Four persons were drowned in the Illinois river, near Quincy.

A cloud-burst in Upper Clear Creek canyon, Colo., is reported, with heavy loss of life. No particulars are given. It was reported that a school teacher, Sherman, will stomp the West against free silver.

A collision in the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railway yards, at Galesburg, seriously injured several men who were in a way car.

Fayette Mead, living near Fredericksburg, Iowa, was gored to death by a vicious bull. He was found dead in his pasture.

The White river is higher than it has been in years. The suspension bridge between the Ind. and West. is being washed out. A number of boys into the river. It is feared that the five remaining bridges will go.

Charles Snuch, engineer, and Alexander Smith, fireman, were killed on a freight train on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, six miles west of St. Louis.

A freight train on the Oxford & Clarksville railroad went through a bridge twelve miles from Durham, N. C. The engineer and fireman are believed to have been killed.

Timothy J. Darcy, one of the oldest and most widely-known residents of Northern Illinois, whose life for the past thirty years has been devoted to the raising of agricultural implements in Woodstock, was struck by a limited train and died a few minutes later.

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MINNESOTA NEWS.

Interesting Happenings in the North Star State.

Henry Rogge was drowned in the river at St. Paul while swimming.

Gustav Von Goetzen, the well known St. Paul musician, drowned at Waconia lake.

Gov. Clough and the National Guard will attend the state fair Tuesday, Sept. 2.

State Auditor Dunn has served notice on the managers of state institutions that they must reduce expenses.

Elmer Hoyt, a clerk in the Fairbault police office, has been arrested for irregularity in his accounts.

Rev. J. C. Hull, formerly pastor of the Clinton Avenue M. E. church of St. Paul, is accused of poisoning his wife with arsenic.

Jerry Frick, a farm hand near Hay Creek, near Red Wing, died of sun stroke. He was 30 years of age and has relatives near Menominee, Wis.

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Another Scorching Day Throughout the Country.

Many More People Succumb to the Heat, and the Death List in Chicago and New York Grows at an Alarming Rate—Some Heat That Cooler Weather Will Prevail in a Few Days.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—The latest reports show that the total list of victims of heat prostrations yesterday numbered sixty-five. Of these, thirty-two were reported to be expected to die and three driven insane by the heat.

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SHOT IN THE HEART.

Fatal Blow Occurs in a Saloon at St. Peter, Minn., Aug. 12.—This city

was disturbed today by one of the most sudden and bloody murders which this state has known, and as a result of it one man lies dead and another is in jail. Neither of the men were known to each other.

The two men were passing through the country apparently in search of work. The two came here together today. They reported to a saloon keeper that they spent the time drinking beer and playing cards.

During the game they quarreled, and the saloon keeper, who was entering the saloon proper, the smaller man of the two struck his companion a severe blow in the face.

The man who was struck immediately left the saloon, went to one of the hardware stores, bought a revolver and returned to the saloon by the rear door. The other in the meantime sat down in one of the chairs along the wall. His companion walked into the saloon and shot him six times at the man in the chair. Four of the bullets took effect, one entering the heart, causing death almost instantaneously.

The man who was shot walked a block, sat down and awaited an officer, who arrested him and took him to the jail. He gave up his revolver and volunteered to accompany the officer.

He gave his name as Charles Clark, said to be from a small town in Wisconsin. He was a single man and had no friends in this region. When asked for concerning the murder he said the fellow who shot him was a man who had a right to stand it. He said that he hoped his victim was dead. He was considered by the whites, crops laid to waste, and the damage done by which, no matter how small, was responsible for his crime.

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TURTLE MOUNTAIN INDIANS ON THE VERGE OF AN OUTBREAK.

Lawless Acts by White Men Reported to Be the Cause of the Dangerous Unrest — J. R. Bottineau Appealed To — Little Shell and Sasquatch Petition Send a Statement of the Incursions at St. John.

Minneapolis, Aug. 7.—Trouble is imminent in the Turtle Mountain country. It is putting it further strong to assert that an Indian outbreak is likely to occur at any minute, and still the situation is very grave, and the state of a band of Indians on the warpath, the Indians are expected to judge from a letter received a few days ago by J. R. Bottineau of St. John, who has acted for years as attorney for the Indians.

The letter, which is written from Laurent, N. D., requests that he call the attention of the United States authorities to the existing conditions. The letter is described as dangerous. The Indians near St. John are reported as being excited, and the situation is described as dangerous. The Indians near St. John are reported as being excited, and the situation is described as dangerous.

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At barn back of my Saloon on Laurel Street, Brainerd.

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L. J. Cale is in St. Paul on business.

Fred Lowe was in Duluth the first of the week.

Rev. J. C. Huntington was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. J. Hartley returned from Duluth on Wednesday.

The barbers have signed an agreement to close at 8 o'clock.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

John E. Ireland made a business trip to Little Falls on Wednesday.

Go to Bane & Bane's for home-made lard, three pounds for 25 cents.

W. E. Campbell returned on Monday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.

Mrs. G. F. Watson, of Duluth, is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.

The Germania Maennerchor will give a picnic at Woodland Park on Sunday.

Miss Bessie Mulrine went to Staples on Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. McLane.

Mrs. J. W. Nobles, of St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday to visit friends.

C. N. Parker came up from St. Paul yesterday to remain in the city a few days.

Miss Gertrude Wilson went to Litchfield yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Simpson.

Rev. Opie is off on his vacation to Duluth and intends taking a trip on Lake Superior.

A. E. Moberg went to Chicago on Tuesday noon to purchase a fall stock of clothing.

Miss Ashley, of St. Cloud, is visiting in the city, the guest of her friend, Miss Rosa Arnold.

California Peaches, Oranges, Pears, Plums, Grapes, Bananas and Ko Ko Nuts at Mahoney's.

Mrs. Geo. Redding, of Minneapolis, came up on Wednesday to visit relatives in this city.

Geo. Woodling, of Detroit, was in the city Sunday and Monday renewing old acquaintances.

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Local News Notes.

Smith & Winslow, insurance.
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L. J. Cale is in St. Paul on business.

Fred Lowe was in Duluth the first of the week.

Rev. J. C. Huntington was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. J. Hartley returned from Duluth on Wednesday.

The barbers have signed an agreement to close at 8 o'clock.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

John E. Ireland made a business trip to Little Falls on Wednesday.

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W. E. Campbell returned on Monday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.

Mrs. G. F. Watson, of Duluth, is in the city visiting with friends and relatives.

The Germania Maennerchor will give a picnic at Woodland Park on Sunday.

Miss Bessie Mulrine went to Staples on Wednesday to visit her sister Mrs. McLane.

Mrs. J. W. Nobles, of St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday to visit friends.

C. N. Parker came up from St. Paul yesterday to remain in the city a few days.

Miss Gertrude Wilson went to Litchfield yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Simpson.

Rev. Opie is off on his vacation to Duluth and intends taking a trip on Lake Superior.

A. E. Moberg went to Chicago on Tuesday noon to purchase a fall stock of clothing.

Miss Ashley, of St. Cloud, is visiting in the city, the guest of her friend, Miss Rosa Arnold.

California Peaches, Oranges, Pears, Plums, Grapes, Bananas and Ko Ko Nuts at Mahoney's.

Mrs. Geo. Redding, of Minneapolis, came up on Wednesday to visit relatives in this city.

Geo. Woodling, of Detroit, was in the city Sunday and Monday renewing old acquaintances.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. C. A. Walker on Wednesday afternoon, August 19th, from 2:30 until 4:30 o'clock.

Mrs. A. E. Losey, who has been occupying the Nevers Cottage at Long Lake for the past two weeks, entertained a party of her lady friends there on Wednesday.

Thos. E. Doyle, of Chicago, who has been visiting relatives in the city for some days, returned home on Monday. He is cousin of Mrs. Severn Koop and Joseph Early.

The W. R. C. gave an ice cream social at the Y. M. C. A. yard Wednesday evening. The receipts were \$22.50.

Atwood & Johnson have a new sign that is a dandy. Like the business it represents, it is one of the finest in the city.

Jas. R. Smith returned on Saturday from a month's trip to his old home in Canada. Mr. Smith reports a most delightful visit.

Miss Eva Hoyer, of Racine, Wis., arrived in the city on Tuesday morning to visit her cousins, J. S. and R. O. Drysdale and Miss Tena.

Miss Tena Drysdale and Miss Katie Pearce left on Thursday noon for St. Cloud, where they will visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

Twenty young ladies and gentlemen of Minneapolis passed through the city on Tuesday en route for Leech Lake where a several day's outing will be enjoyed.

Lost—On Sunday, August 2nd, between the Northern Mill and the Arlington, a ladies' small black watch with chain and Royal Arcanum charm. Leave at Arlington Hotel and receive liberal reward.

H. W. Mowry was in the city on Tuesday to serve notices on the members of the board of county commissioners in the suit brought against them to show cause why they had annexed a portion of Cass.

The attention of the municipal court on Monday afternoon was given to a trial of simple assault preferred against James Towers, jr., by Robert McMeekins. Mr. Towers was adjudged innocent by the court and released.

Wm. Bredfeld will open a saloon in his store room on East Front street just as soon as the room is vacated by J. F. Hawkins' meat market, which will be in a few days. The meat market will be moved two doors east from its present location.

The committee appointed to secure permanent headquarters for the McKinley and Morris Club, have been unable yet to make arrangements for a room, hence the next meeting will be held in the same place as the last, Peabody & Baker's hall, unless other orders be received.

Fred K. Merritt, registrar of Yale College, at New Haven, Conn., arrived in the city on Tuesday, and will remain here a month visiting his mother and sister, and renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Merritt intended to come from Buffalo to Duluth by boat, but before the boat got to Detroit her boilers were disabled so she could not proceed on her journey, so the company sent her passengers to their destination by rail.

The time of the municipal court was occupied on Monday in hearing the preliminary examination of Mrs. Viola Vanderwerker, of Daggett Brook, charged by her husband with adultery with Edward Loughton, who was arrested at the same time and escaped from the officers. Mrs. Vanderwerker was tried in the district court last spring on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, but was not convicted. She was bound over to the grand jury, and in default of bail went to jail.

Executive Agent Fullerton and Secretary Benson, of the State Fish and Game Commission, were in the city the first of the week, and were out at Ferris Lake, which the commission is using to propagate black bass. Mr. Fullerton on his return expressed himself as dissatisfied with the results obtained there, and said that they would seine the lake again, and if no small bass were found the lake would be abandoned. We are reliably informed that the gentlemen had no means of knowing whether the lake contains any bass or not, as they did not seine it, but merely walked around and rowed in it.

The Royal Arch degree was conferred on Saturday evening by Brainerd Chapter No. 47, at which there was a large attendance of members. After the ceremonies a banquet was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star, as is the invariable custom, over 60 people being present at the banquet. A special train from Staples brought down a delegation of Masons with their ladies to attend the banquet as follows: Superintendent A. J. Sovereign and wife and two nieces, C. E. McMullen and wife, C. F. Hall, Will Jones, Phillip Van Meter, and others whose names we could not learn. A very enjoyable time is reported.

A Very Serious Accident.

James Willis, a lumberman of the planing mill at the N. P. shops, at about 11 o'clock last Monday morning, met with an accident that, it was first thought, would necessarily prove fatal. The machinery that works the fan that carries the shavings from the planer to the furnace got out of order, and a Mr. Willis, with his brother, Tom, was on a platform some 15 feet above the floor, fixing it. He took a wrench to tighten a nut, when the wrench slipped, throwing Mr. Willis head-first to the floor below. He struck his head on an iron jack, fracturing the back part of his skull. Notwithstanding the awful blow, Mr. Willis was conscious, and with the assistance of a man on each side of him walked to the engine that took him to the Sanitarium, and also walked from the engine into the Sanitarium on arriving there. He was immediately placed under the influence of ether, and his injuries treated by Dr. Courtney. It was necessary to remove some broken pieces of the skull and clotting blood from the brain and raise the skull, which had been depressed by the blow. The injury was of such a serious character that it was at first thought that he could not possibly survive, but Mr. Willis has regained consciousness, and is so much better that hopes are now entertained of his complete recovery. He has hosts of friends who earnestly hope so.

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NEARLY SEVEN HUNDRED MEMBERS
Now Enrolled in the McKinley and Morris Club—And Still They Come.

When the Dispatch stated last week that the McKinley and Morris Club would get ten times as many members as the Journal editor predicted, we thought we had indicated the limit, and we were then much gratified by the magnificent showing that was made, but we now see that we underrated the feeling of the people on the proposition to foist cheap money on them, as will be shown by the magnificent proportions the membership lists of the club have already attained. The lists returned at the meeting of the club on Tuesday evening contained 582 names, with three lists outstanding, which probably contains enough more names to make the club membership at least 700. And still they come. Quite a large number had not been seen came up to the meeting to sign, and those who had the lists say they were able to see only a part of those who are willing and anxious to enroll themselves. For the benefit of the Journal editor, who imagined his demagogic utterances had converted the whole community, we will predict that with a little effort 1,000 names can be secured.

The meeting held at Peabody & Baker's hall was a most enthusiastic one, notwithstanding no speeches were made and the time was simply given to the organization of the club. The meeting was called to order at 8:15, and after the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by the secretary, the committee on by-laws reported. The report was on motion read and adopted section by section, the only change made being in the third section, which was amended to read that all males over 18 years of age might become members instead of all voters. The time of meeting was also fixed by the by-laws as Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Officers were then elected as follows:
President—A. J. Halsted.
1st Vice-Pres.—R. H. Paine.
2nd Vice-Pres.—S. L. Bean.
Secretary—C. A. Allbright.
Treasurer—A. F. Ferris.

Reports of committees appointed to solicit members for the club were called for and the reports showed a total membership at that time of 582, with three lists not reported.

The secretary was instructed to furnish committees with new lists.

A committee of five on finance was, on motion, appointed as follows:
A. F. Ferris, Geo. Gardner, H. Poppenberg, A. Mahlum and R. H. Paine.

A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to get up a marching club, and also a glee club. The chair appointed S. R. Adair, C. A. Allbright, A. E. Pennell, W. A. M. Johnston and A. Reinthal.

A committee of three, consisting of C. E. Chipperfield, Jas. McMurry and F. W. Wieland, was appointed to secure hall for permanent place of meeting during the campaign.

It was moved that every member of the club be a member of the marching club, and the motion was carried amid shouts of applause.

The marching club committee was ordered to select a suitable uniform and report at next meeting.

Meeting adjourned subject to call of the president.

DEATHS.

James Thompson, a lumberman aged 48 years, was instantly killed on last Saturday morning at the landing of the B. & N. M. Railway, while engaged in unloading logs. Mr. Thompson had unfastened the chain which holds the logs on the car and had stepped back to get out of the way of the logs, and to get a cant hook to start them, when the top-most log suddenly began to roll, and as it projected farther over the end of the car it struck Mr. Thompson, who thought himself far enough back to escape them, on the head, and knocked him down the landing and killed him instantly. His remains were brought to Losey & Dean's morgue and held until Tuesday, when they were buried. Mr. Thompson was unmarried and had made his home in this city for the last fifteen years, but no one knew where he came from, further than that he told his associates that he came from Canada. Although at the time of his death he was boarding at the mill boarding house, he usually stopped at the Exchange or Globe. His remains were buried on Tuesday, Rev. Opie conducting the funeral ceremonies.

Carrie Wilmer, wife of John Wilmer, aged 23 years, died at her home in Southeast Brainerd on Tuesday, August 11th, of consumption. Her remains were taken out to Long Lake where her parents reside for burial.

Herman Erickson, an 18-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Erickson, who live on Oak street in Southeast Brainerd, died yesterday, the 13th, inst., of cholera infantum, and will be buried today.

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Annexation Dispute.
A writ of quo warranto was issued last Saturday by Judge Mitchell, of the supreme court, citing the members of the board of county commissioners of Crow Wing county to appear before the court October 6th, to show by what warrant they had annexed thirteen townships of Cass county. The members of the board are A. P. Farrar, Joel Smith, John Bubar, Henry Mahle and Harry Patterson. The action is taken for the purpose of finally disposing of the dispute between the authorities of Crow Wing and Cass county relative to the annexation.

W. C. T. U.
The W. C. T. U. meeting held on Tuesday last was a very interesting one. Plans for the coming year's work were mapped out, and although debate action was not taken on any of them, work will be taken up later on. Mrs. Jesse Smith was appointed superintendent of jail and hospital work, and Mrs. J. Wickham was appointed chairman of the visiting committee. There were three visitors present. This was encouraging, as we are always glad to have ladies come and find out what we are doing.

SECRETARY.
J. C. CONGDON, Brainerd, Minn.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen.
A red Irish setter, with small white spot on breast, and a very bushy tail. Answers to name of "Turk." A liberal reward will be given for information leading to his recovery.
JAS. R. SMITH, Sleeper Block.

Pure Leaf Lard.
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Teachers' Examination.
Teachers' public examination will be held in the Washington School Building on August 18th and 19th.
J. A. WILSON, County Supt. Schools.

Examination of Teachers.
The examination advertised to be held Aug. 12th and 13th has been postponed 'till Thursday and Friday, Aug. 27th and 28th.

Strayed.
One week ago last Saturday a dark cow, dry, out of pasture in Oak Lawn township. Liberal reward will be given for her return.
BENSON & GRAY.

Notice.
All old soldiers who want free quarters at the national encampment should notify me immediately.
N. M. FAIRBANK, Post Com.

One Fare to Cleveland and Return.
For the Biennial Encampment of the Knights of Pythias, Uniform Rank at Cleveland August 23rd to 30th, the Nickel Plate Road will sell tickets Aug. 22nd, 23rd and 24th at \$8.50 for the round trip, Chicago to Cleveland and return, being \$1.50 lower than via other lines. Tickets available on all trains, returning until August 31st. Further information cheerfully given on application to J. V. Calahan, Gen'l Agent, 111 Adams St., Chicago, Ill. 124-33-54.

William McKinley.
Agents wanted to sell the Life and Speeches of McKinley, with proceedings of St. Louis Convention, platform of party and other valuable information. 320 pages, with 20 full page illustrations. Price, cloth, \$1.00. half morocco, \$1.50. Sixty per cent discount to agents. Send 30 per cent for prospectus and full particulars, and go to work at once. You can sell 200 copies in your town. Address J. S. Ogilvie Publishing Company, 57 Rose street, New York.

Wanted—An Idea.
Who can think of some simple thing to patent? Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. for their \$1.00 price offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

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At The CITY MEAT MARKET.

Board of Equalization.
Pursuant to adjournment board of equalization met at 10 a. m., Tuesday, August 11th, 1896.
All members present.
The following reductions were made:
Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, Block 319, were reduced to \$30 each.
All out off lands in the following towns were reduced to \$1.50 per acre, viz:
Town 138, Range 31; Town 139, Range 31; Town 141, Range 29; Town 141, Range 30; Town 141, Range 31; Town 140, Range 25; Town 142, Range 25; Town 143, Range 25; Town 144, Range 25; Town 140, Range 26; Town 141, Range 26; Town 142, Range 26; Town 143, Range 28; Town 143, Range 27; Town 135, Range 32; Town 136, Range 32; and Town 137, Range 32.
Motion was made and seconded to reduce improvements on Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 45, \$5,000.
Ayes—A. P. Farrar, Henry Mahle and Louis Tache.
Nayes—A. P. Farrar.
Lot 3, Section 24, Town 45, Range 31, reduced \$200.
Improvements on Lot 7, Block 45, were reduced \$1,000.
Willis' Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
Koop & Walker's Addition was reduced 25 per cent.
Schmeltz's Second Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
East Side Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
St. Paul Addition was reduced 30 per cent.
Board adjourned sine die.
LOUIS TACHE, Co. Auditor.

Thirtieth National Encampment, G.A.R., at St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 31 to Sept. 5.
COMMANDER AND COMRADES:
The Park Region Association do hereby resolve to attend the Thirtieth Annual National Encampment in a body, via Northern Pacific Railroad, main line, this train running from Fargo to St. Paul via Brainerd.
The train will leave Fargo at 7:35 A. M., Glyndon at 8:00 A. M., Hawley at 8:15 A. M., Winnipeg Junction at 8:32 A. M., Detroit at 9:17 A. M., Wadena at 10:50 A. M., Verndale at 11:03 A. M., Staples at 11:25 A. M., Motley at 11:37 A. M., Brainerd at 12:40 P. M., Little Falls at 1:40 P. M., and arrive in St. Paul at 5:30 P. M., on Monday, Aug. 31st.
It is desired that every Post in this Park Region Association fall in line at their respective railroad stations, on day and hour first above mentioned, and report to the Colonel in command of the excursion for orders, with one day's ration.
The rate for transportation is very moderate, being one fare for the round trip. On arriving in St. Paul we will go into camp (Camp Mason) at Selby avenue and Milton street, on the Fourth street cable line. This camp will be equipped with water service and all other conveniences. Meals will be served by a company cook to all the Association, if so desired by the Posts represented. It is requested by the Commander that each and every Post, and every comrade not a member of the order who desires to go in this excursion, notify the committee at once.
J. C. CONGDON, Brainerd, Minn.
WM. C. ROBERTS, Detroit.
C. H. MIX, Crookston.
J. R. HALL, Detroit.

New York Veterans' Reunion.
L. L. Wheelock, Owatonna, Minn., 161 N. Y. Vols.
L. J. Lange, Marshall, Minn., 165 N. Y. Vols.
E. D. French, Redwood Falls, Minn., 6 N. Y. Cav.
R. J. McCadden, Fairmont, Minn., 155 N. Y. Vols.
C. W. McKay, Fergus Falls, Minn., 154 N. Y. Vols.
W. C. Lincoln, Fergus Falls, Minn., 125 N. Y. Vols.
Lorenzo Johnson, Annandale, Minn., 116 N. Y. Vols.
The above committee of Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, formerly from New York, believing that all comrades from the Empire State, visiting the 30th National Encampment, would desire to meet and greet their late comrades in arms now residing in Minnesota and other western states have arranged for a Reunion of New York Veterans' to be held in court room No. 3 Ramsey county court house, St. Paul, Minn., at 10 o'clock A. M. Sept. 3, 1896.
All comrades and their friends who served in New York state organizations are invited to be present.
Will all who can and expect to be present drop a postal card to
W. C. LINCOLN, Fergus Falls, Minn.

How Do You Like THESE PRICES For August?

Light Colors Calicoes, per yard.....	3 1/2 Cts.	Cotton Batts, SIXTEEN OUNCES for.....	10 Cts.
Red Calicoes, per yard.....	5 Cts.	Cotton Shirts, Heavy, per yard.....	8 Cts.
Blue Calicoes, per yard.....	5 Cts.	Percales, former 12 1/2 Cents, Now.....	10 Cts.
Fancy Calicoes, per yard.....	6 Cts.	Fast Black Hose, per pair.....	9 Cts.
Epatants, per yard.....	7 Cts.	Fast Black Sox, per pair.....	9 Cts.
Bannerettes, per yard.....	7 Cts.	Grey Mixed Sox, per pair.....	8 Cts.
Challies, Fast Colors, per yard.....	6 Cts.	ins, per paper.....	1 Cts.

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ALL Of our LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS, Former Price, 44c., 39c. 50c., 60c., 75c., FOR ONLY.....
WAISTS All of the season's best Shirt Waists, worth \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, at one single price..... 95c.
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Ladies' Better Grade Shoe.....	\$1.25	Ladies' Fine Hand Sewed Tan Ties, Elegant Values.....	\$1.50
Ladies' Fine Grade Shoe.....	\$1.50	Our Best Goods, Regular \$3.00 Goods, Down to.....	\$1.35
Ladies' Tan Slippers, in New Shapes.....	75c.	Children's Tan Shoes, per pair \$1.00, 75 cents, and.....	65c.

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